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In re Application of Jerzy Lewak Application No. 09/160,728 Filed: September 25, 1998

Attorney Docket No. NISUS-002-PA

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 18, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply to the non-final Office action mailed September 4, 2001, which set a reply period of (1) ONE MONTH or (30) days from the mail date of the Notice whichever is longer, within which to reply. A one-month extension of time was mailed on March 8, 2002. Accordingly, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 28, 2002.

The file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2671 for processing the Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) filed on September 17, 2002.

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